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## MIAMI-DADE COUNTY COMMISSION ON ETHICS & PUBLIC TRUST

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In Re: Judge William Thomas /

Case No. 10-15

## PUBLIC REPORT AND ORDER DISMISSING COMPLAINT

Ovidio Gonzalez filed the above-captioned complaint against Judge William Thomas for failing to expunge the records of his arrest.

On December 28, 2005, Gonzalez was arrested by the Miami-Dade Police Department. Gonzalez was charged with unlawful battery, false imprisonment, impersonating a UN officer and resisting an officer without violence. Judge Thomas issued an order to seal the file and vacated a prior order to expunge the file. Gonzalez was not informed of the change in the order.

On April 14, 2010, the Ethics Commission found the complaint legally insufficient because the Ethics Commission does not have jurisdiction over judges.

Therefore it is:

ORDERED AND ADJUDGED THAT the Complaint is DISMISSED for lack of jurisdiction.

DONE AND ORDERED by the Miami-Dade Commission on Ethics and Public Trust in public session on April 14, 2010.

MIAMI-DADE COUNTY COMMISSION ON ETHICS AND PUBLIC TRUST

By:

Kerry Rosenthal

Chairperson

cc: Judge William Thomas Ovidio Gonzalez